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Title: **COMPOSITIONS OF ANGIOPOIETIN AND FRAGMENTS, MUTANTS
AND ANALOGS THEREOF AND USES OF THE SAME**

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AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

This paper is filed with a Request for Continued Examination of the above-identified patent application. An Office Action dated August 10, 2007 contained a final rejection of the claims. An amendment after final was filed October 10, 2007. An advisory Action was issued November 16, 2007. The period to respond is extended by petition and payment of the appropriate fee provided herewith.

In response to the Office Action, please amend the above-referenced application as follows and consider the following remarks.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.